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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION WITH AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the *Ex parte Quayle* action mailed on October 11, 2005 in connection with the above-identified application. Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment and consideration of the Remarks made herein in connection with the above-captioned application.

It is believed that no fee is due in connection with the filing of this Amendment. However, should the Patent Office determine otherwise, please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 4 of this paper.